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**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**  
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Sir:

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IMPROVED TEAR RESISTANCE and hereby agrees that any patent so granted on said above-identified application shall be enforceable only for and during such period that it and U.S. Patent No. 6,653,380 are commonly owned, this agreement to run with any patent granted on said above-identified application and to be binding upon the grantee, its successors or assigns.

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